

ROSETTA Forecasted DSN Support

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ROSETTA Mission Support

Mission Parameters

- Launch: 12 January 2003 from Kourou, French Guyana
- Deep Space Mission to Comet 46P/Wirtanen
- 10 Year 7 Month Design Life
 - 3 Month Launch, Early Orbit and Commissioning Phase
 - 8.5 Years Interplanetary Trajectory Phase (2003 2011)
 - 22 Month Near Comet Phase (2011-2013)
- References:
 - ROSETTA Study (29 June 99)
 - PSLA (15 December 1999)
 - View Period File: 12 May 99
 - ROSETTA Review Meeting on 20 September 2000



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DSN Tracking Requirements

- Requested to provide supplemental coverage during the 2003: Launch, Early Orbit and Commissioning Phase at the Madrid Complex
 - » 8 Hours/Day DSS-54 Launch Support in January (34 meter antenna)
 - » 8 Hours/Day DSS-65,54 Support After January (34 meter antennas)
- Requested to provide support during the Mars Gravity 2005: Assist and Earth Gravity Assist (EGA) maneuvers (August - November) from either Goldstone or Madrid
 - » 4 Hours/Day DSS-15,65 except for EGA or DSS-24,54 Support (34) meter antennas)
- Requested to provide support during the Asteroid 2006: "Otawara" fly-by in July
 - » 4 Hours/Day DSS-15,65 or DSS-24,54 Support (34 meter antennas)



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DSN Tracking Requirements Continue

- 2007: Requested to provide support during the Earth Gravity
 Assist maneuver in November
 - » 4 Hours/Day DSS-24,54 Support (34 meter antennas)
- 2008: Requested to provide support during the Asteroid "Siwa' fly-by in July
 - » 4 Hours/Day DSS-15,65 or DSS-24,54 Support (34 meter antennas)
- 2009: Requested to provide support for the spin up maneuver for 1 week in 2009 from either Goldstone or Canberra
 - » ? Hours/Day DSS-14,43 Support (70 meter antennas)



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- DSN Tracking Requirements Continue
 - 2011-2013:Requested to provide supplemental coverage during the Comet Phases (November 2011 - August 2013)
 - » Up to 12 Hours/Day DSS-15,65 or DSS-24,54 Support (34 meter antennas)
 - 2012: Requested to provide Lander delivery and Relay Phase support in September 2012 for about two weeks
 - » 24 Hours/Day per 7 Days/Week TM/TC Prime Support
 - » DSS-15,65 or DSS-24,54 Support (34 meter antennas)



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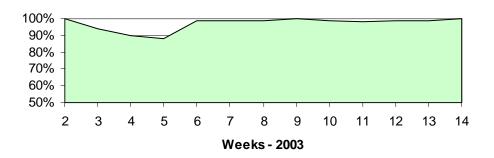
DSN Loading Study Results 2003, 2005-2009:

- Generally greater that 90%, 80%, 95%, 100%, 96%, and 100% supportable time in 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009 respectively.
 - During weeks 2 through 5 in 2003, DSS-54 meter contentions occur with other missions requesting DSS-54 support and are in ROSETTA's view.
 These missions are NOZO, M01O, and ULYS. CAS is requesting DSS-65 support for their Gravity Wave experiment and is partially in ROSETTA's view.
 - In 2005, other missions requesting DSS-24 and 54 support and are in ROSETTA's view during the ROSETTA Earth Gravity Assist are M01O, M05L and STAR.

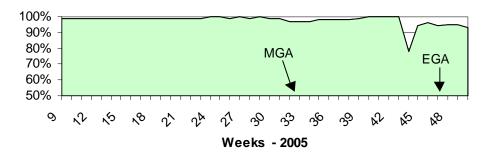


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ROSSETTA
Forecasted Launch, Early Orbit and Commissioning
Weekly Supportable Percentage

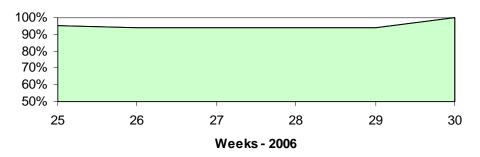


ROSETTA
Forecasted Mars and Earth Gravity Assist
Weekly Supportable Percentage

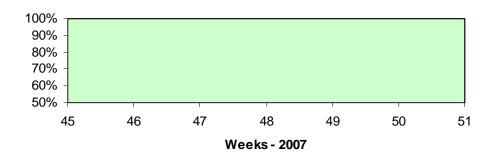




ROSSETTA Forecasted Asteroid "Otawara" Fly-By **Weekly Supportable Percentage**

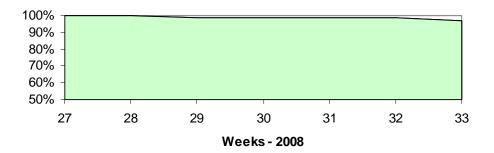


ROSETTA Forecasted Earth Gravity Assist Weekly Supportable Percentage

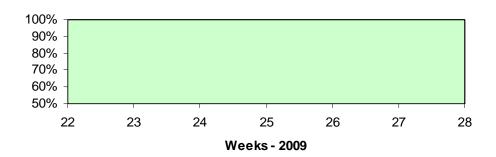




ROSETTA
Forecasted Asteroid "Siwa" Fly-By
Weekly Supportable Percentage



ROSETTA
Forecasted Deep Space Maneuver
Weekly Supportable Percentage





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Comments/Questions/Requests

- During the Launch, Early Orbit and Commissioning Phase, ROSETTA is scheduled to receive 8-hour passes per day. This is due to view period being less than 10 hours per day. During weeks 2 through 4 can ROSETTA use DSS-66 (26 meter antenna) or DSS-63 (70 meter antenna)?
- In 2009, how many hours and which week is 70 meter support required?
- How flexible is ROSETTA in using either DSS-15, 65 and 24, 54 antennas?